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## Brazil

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### **Brazil Removes Consular Stamp Requirement for U.S. Exports**

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**Report Highlights:**

U.S. exporters of animal and plant products to Brazil no longer need to obtain a consular stamp on official sanitary and phytosanitary certificates.

**General Information:**

**Brazil Removes Consular Stamp Requirement for U.S. Exporters**

The Government of Brazil announced on August 27, 2009 the termination of the requirement that U.S. exporters must have official U.S. sanitary and phytosanitary certificates stamped by a Brazilian consular official, eliminating significant delays and costs to U.S.

exporters. The requirement for a consular stamp was based on Decrees 24,548 and 24,114, both from 1934.